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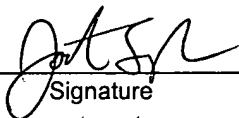
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CORRECTED SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Corrected Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The references now cited are the following:

OTHER ART (including Author, Title, Date pertinent Pages, etc.)

Luk, Y.-Y.; Kato, M. and Mrksich, M.; "Self-assembled monolayers of alkanethiolates presenting mannitol groups are inert to protein adsorption and cell attachment"; *Langmuir* **2000**, *16*, 9604-9608, published 10/21/2000.

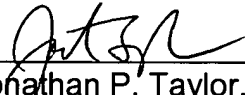
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g),(h), this Corrected Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

This Corrected Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement lists only the reference that was listed in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed September 26, 2002 as citation "A3", but that was inadvertently listed with an incorrect publication date. No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Corrected Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these material, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

Applicant(s) respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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